

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Prof. E. T. Burgess spent onday here.

Mr. Lloyd Sheep spent Xmas y in Norfolk.

Mr. John T. Spence spent Tuesday in the city.

Miss Mary McMullen spent yesterday in Hertford.

Mr. Ihrie Leary, of Edenton, is in the city for the holidays.

Mr. George Prichard of Philadelphia is visiting in the city.

Sheriff R. E. Flora of Currituck spent Tuesday in the city.

Mr. Wm. Jorvis, of Moyock, spent Wednesday in the city.

Mr. Frank Baxter left today for Norfolk, on a pleasure trip.

Miss Ida J. Flora is at home from St. Mary's to spend the holidays.

Mr. Fred Lamb of Raleigh is visiting his parents on Matthews street.

Mr. Wm. Perry is at home from U. N. C. to spend the holidays.

Mr. Jas. B. Blades arrived on the Neuse this morning from New Berne.

Dr. Claud B. Williams is at home to spend the holidays with his parents.

Mr. J. W. Jackson formerly of this place, but now of Hertford, is in the city.

Dr. Erskine Ehringhaus is at home from Baltimore to spend the holidays.

Mr. William Baxter of Norfolk spent several days in the city this week.

Mr. Brozier Cartwright is at home from A. & M. to spend the holidays.

Mr. P. E. Davenport left yesterday for Norfolk, on a short business trip.

Messrs E. B. Hughes and B. F. Burgeon spent several days in Norfolk last week.

Capt. James Townsend left yesterday for Baltimore on a business trip.

Mr. Dave Foy passed through the city Saturday enroute for his home in New Berne.

See Fowler & Co's. line of ladies' purses and pocket books at 5c to 50c.

Mr. Wilson F. Leary, of Currituck spent Monday in the city on professional business.

Messrs L. P. Hobgood and Judson Cooper arrived this morning on the steamer Neuse.

Miss Luna Jarvis, of Moyock, is the guest of Miss Mary Culpepper on Ehringhaus street.

Misses Bessie Hughes and Mary Wood, students of Salem, are at home for the holidays.

36 inch wool venetians in the best selling shades—a handsome quality for 50c a yard at Fowler & Co's.

Mr. Russell Snowden who is attending the A. & M. college at Raleigh, is here for the holidays.

Glance over our advertising columns and call on our friends for what you want. They have it.

Miss Willie White has returned home from Oxford, where she attended the Seminary, to spend the holidays.

Two of our charming representatives at Salem, Misses Mary McMullen and Gertie Foreman returned home Saturday for the holidays.

Messrs Frank Eason and Walter McCoy of South Mills, were in the city Tuesday, while here they made us a very pleasant call.

Mr. James Madrin, formerly of this place but now of Philadelphia is here on a visit to relatives and friends.

Special values in cotton, linen and turkish towels, plain white, colored bordered, fringed or hemstitched at Fowler & Co's.

Mr. Hal Shaw left yesterday for his home in Shawboro, to spend several days. He was accompanied by Mr. Selby Harney.

Mr. Z. T. Shelton, of Fairmount, is in the city attending to important business.

Miss Alma Krumbie, of Washington, D. C. is here on a visit to the family of Mr. A. Huckabee.

Misses Gertrude and Louise Greenleaf left this afternoon for Shawboro, where they will attend a reception given by the Misses Morgan.

Mr. Buck Sawyer who has been quite ill at Wake Forest College, is at home, greatly improved we are glad to state.

The Down Home German Club will celebrate Christmas by giving a swell german Monday night to the visiting young ladies.

January will witness the marriage of a popular young Edenton couple. Miss Lizzie Skinner and Mr. Laurence McRae both of whom are well known here.

Rev. J. E. Underwood, Presiding Elder of the Elizabeth City District, has arrived with his family to make his home in our midst. We welcome them.

Appropriate services were held at Christ Church Wednesday morning by Rector Rev. L. L. Williams. Special music was rendered by the choir.

Messrs Earnest Sawyer, Shelton Scott, J. K. Wilson and Walter Wood returned Tuesday afternoon from the University of North Carolina, to spend the holidays at home.

Fowler & Co. call your attention to their line of kid gloves black, tans, grays, and white at 75c and \$1 a pair. You'll find they'll give the greatest amount of satisfaction possible at the price.

Miss Bertha Sawyer, a charming young lady of Salem spent several days in the city last week, the guest of her brother, Mr. E. L. Sawyer, on Ehringhaus street.

Mr. A. Q. Elliott & Son of Edenton are opening an up-to-date grocery store on Water St. near the Arlington. We wish them unbounded success.

"The Fair," our big department store, is offering as specialties, dolls, books, fancy china, etc. There is no trouble to find what you wish at this store. Try them for your Christmas goods.

FOUND.—Sunday evening on the corner of Road and Main streets, an amethyst belt buckle or clasp. Owner can have the same by calling at this office, proving property and paying for this notice.

At Fowler & Co's. you will find many sensible articles for Christmas giving, as for instance ladies' capes and jackets and fur collarettes at prices that cannot fail to please both giver and receiver.

Dr. D. H. Tuttle, the new pastor of the M. E. Church, preached his first sermon to a large congregation Sunday morning. Christmas services were in order. The choir rendered beautiful music for the occasion, one feature being the solo, "Beyond the Gates of Paradise," sung by Mr. Will Hendren, of Norfolk. The brilliant effort of Dr. Tuttle was thrilling in the extreme.

For Sale.

Four reversible brass box lumber trucks, 56 inch gauge, 2 1/2 inch steel axles. They have been used very little, will be sold cheap. Apply to C. W. Howell.

The Crate and Basket Factory Burned.

The North Carolina Crate and Basket Factory, situated just outside the city limits at the foot of Pennsylvania Avenue, was discovered to be on fire about 12 o'clock Sunday night. The Fire Department responded as speedily as possible, but owing to the distance, the fire had made such headway before it was reached that the building was consumed. The loss we understand is partially covered by insurance. We presume the company will rebuild.

Mr. Will Crowson spent today in Camden.

Miss Irene Allen spent several days in Norfolk this week visiting friends.

Miss Slater, of Portsmouth, Va., arrived this afternoon, to visit Miss Birdie Kramer.

Messrs George and Gordon Bratten of Great Bridge Va., are visiting in the city.

Mr. Walter Sawyer, one of our most popular young men, is at home from the University of Maryland, where he is taking a medical course.

For a Christmas present a pair of shoes from Fowler's will prove a lasting reminder and a very acceptable gift.

Mr. Gaston Crawford has returned from Petersburg Va., and accepted a position with Mr. Poppendick at the city market.

A large range of prices, kinds and qualities in ladies' and gentlemen's handkerchiefs—silk, linen, cotton, plain white, hemstitched, white embroidered, colored embroidered, and colored bordered hemstitched at Fowler & Co's.

THE N. C. FARMER'S STATE ASSOCIATION.

Hillsboro, N. C., Dec. 21, 1901.

—There will be a meeting of the North Carolina Farmers State Association at the Agricultural Building in Raleigh, at 7.30 P. M., Jan. 14th. next.

This will be an important meeting and representatives from every county should be present.

The cotton seed situation, the fertilizer question, and other topics of interest to the farmers will be discussed.

The few who have started this farmers organization can not hope to succeed in accomplishing the results aimed at without the co-operation of their fellow farmers. Let the enterprising and progressive farmers show their interest in the movement by being represented at this meeting. That the farmers of each county may be represented they are requested to meet at their respective Court Houses Saturday Jan. 11, at 12 o'clock, to select representatives or delegates to attend the meeting in Raleigh. Let every person who feels interested in the welfare of the farmers attend the county meetings. This will be a leisure time with the farmers and should insure a large attendance.

DR. R. H. SPEIGHT, Pres.

T. B. PARKER, Sec.

Farmers State Association.

Special for the Holidays.

Cabinet photographs one dollar per dozen. Novelty photographs 5 for 10 cents. We guarantee good work. Give us a call.

NOVELTY PHOTO CO.,

At the tent, Poindexter street.

SOUTH MILLS.

(From our regular correspondent.)

Happy New Year to all.

Miss Mary L. Etheridge has closed her school and is on a visit to relatives and friends in Berkley, Va.

Wedding bells and Christmas horns make music these cold winter days.

Mr. W. R. Dozier contemplates moving into his new residence in the near future.

Prof. E. T. Burgess has closed his school at the academy for the holidays.

Miss Maggie Wright, assistant teacher at the academy here is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Wright near Shiloh.

The Camden and Currituck Union Meeting meets with Geneva church, near this place, on Friday the 27th.

Miss Florence McCoy is spending the holidays with relatives in Deep Creek, Va.

REPORT

Of The Condition of The First National Bank

At Elizabeth City, in the State of N. C. At the Close of Business Dec. 10, 1901.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts \$158,535.76

Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 2,486.00

U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 50,000.00

Premiums on U. S. Bonds 2,000.00

Stocks, Securities, etc. 34,935.77

Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures 9,000.00

Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents.) 18,476.20

Due from State Banks and Bankers 287.09

Due from Approved Reserve Agents 20,259.18

Checks and other Cash Items 1,644.82

Notes of other National Banks 1,711.00

Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels and cents. 108.68

Lawful Money Reserve in Bank viz:

Specie \$2,135.00

Legal-tender Notes 6,700.00 \$8,835.00

Redemption Fund with U. S. Treas'r (5 per cent of circulation) 2,500.00

TOTAL \$310,779.50

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in \$50,000.00

Surplus Fund 20,000.00

Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid 10,412.40

National Bank Notes outstanding 50,000.00

Due to State Banks and Bankers 1,170.46

Dividends unpaid 20.00

Individual Deposits subject to Check 171,674.59

Cashier's Checks outstanding 393.49

Notes and bills rediscounted. 7,108.56

TOTAL \$310,779.50

I, W. T. Old, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. T. OLD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Dec. 1901.

GEO. B. PENDLETON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: Chas. H. Robinson, J. B. Floia, D. B. Bradford. } Directors.

THREE VICE ADMIRALS.

New Honors Proposed for Sampson, Schley and Clark.

A bill providing for revival of the grade of vice admiral and for the appointment of William T. Sampson, Winfield S. Schley, and Chas. E. Clark as vice admirals for special gallantry in the recent war, was presented in the Senate by Senator Penrose. The bill asks that their active service be extended ten years.

Representative Pearre of Maryland, introduced the same bill in the House. The bill limits the grade to the three officers named, upon whose deaths it is to lapse.

Tuesday Governor Aycock honored a requisition from Governor Chandler, of Georgia, for Dr. Joe Williams, alias MacKay Durham who is under arrest in Wilson charged with horse stealing in Georgia. He, with a young woman was held in Wilson two weeks ago, the woman being supposed to be the missing Nell Croosey. When it was found that she was not Miss Croosey they were released. A telegram from Georgia asked the authorities in Wilson to hold them and as they had left going toward Selma, the authorities there were notified. They were arrested in Selma and taken back to Wilson, where the woman was released as there was no charge against her.

The Best Yet

We have secured the very best clubbing offer with Farm and Fireside, here it is. Fisherman and Farmer price \$1.00 per year. Farm and Fireside price 50 cents per year, and your choice of the following books, namely, Gleasons Horse Book, New and Complete Poultry Book, Samantha Among the Brethren, Samantha at Saratoga. The two papers and either of the above books for only \$1.25. Cash in advance.

To Cure a Cold in a Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

THE UP-TO-DATE HOLIDAY

STOCK HAS COME.

Our Bright, Sparkling Line of Christmas Gifts is ready for inspection. Come and look. Your judgment will tell you what to do. You will delight in our fine display of holiday goods because it is in close touch with the times and anticipates your every want.

Our stock is thoroughly up with the times in variety and novelty in every department.

The simple plain talk of the price that is right is our convincing argument.

We can, we will, we do supply just what everybody wants for Christmas.

If you want to buy right, if you want to be treated right, make our store headquarters for your Christmas buying.

With pride and confidence in the variety, richness, and completeness of our beautiful holiday stock, we invite you to look through our line of

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Novelties, Silverware, Etc.

and hundreds of articles that we have not space to enumerate in this advertisement.

LOUIS SELIG,

Leading Jeweler.

Corner Main and Water Streets.

Special attention given to repairing fine Watches.

New Flora Building.

For Christmas Gifts.

Choice Handkerchief

Extracts in cut glass

bottles.

Comb and Brush sets, Military Brushes,

Mirrors, Perfumery Atomizers, Pipes, Etc., at prices to suit you.

Standard Pharmacy.

99 Poindexter Street.

CHAS. J. WOODSEND

ARCHITECT,

Plans for Public and Private Buildings.

ARCHITECTURAL

ENGINEERING.

Mill and Fire Proof Connection.

Office: MARTIN BUILDING, BERKLEY VA.

References: Both Berkley Banks.

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H. F. BROWN,

Is a practical PLUMBER and PIPE FITTER and is prepared to furnish estimates as to cost of any style or size job of Plumbing. To furnish material at the lowest rates and to do the work in first class style at very reasonable rates for all customers.

Plumbing Repairs a Specialty.

Pumps repaired, Steam and Water Pipe Fitting done at shortest notice. He offers his service to the public generally, in City, County and State. Correspondence solicited

Cor. Poindexter and Church Street

At Fifty Cents Per Pound

Delivered At Your Home

We will sell you Turnip Seeds such as the general merchandise stores know little about. Turnip Seed which were grown to be as good instead of cheap as possible. When they are sown, they grow and they make well formed, sound hearted roots. Our stock embraces all the kinds which are at all desirable for the South, but we especially recommend the following varieties:—

For early use, For late use.

Red Top Flat Strap Leaf, Red Top Globe,

White Flat Strap Leaf, Large White Globe,

Red Top Globe, Southern Prize,

Send for them now. Don't wait until you are ready to sow,

Geo. Tait & Sons, 78 Commercial Place.

Seed Growers & Merchants, Norfolk, Va.

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